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CLERK: LB 21. Read. There are no Committee amendments or other amendments pending.

PRESIDENT: The chair recognizes Senator Marsh.

SENATOR MARSH: Mr. President, I move for the advancement of LE 21 from General File to Enrollment and Review Initial. This is a piece of legislation which is needed in order to enable the city of Lincoln to obtain from the Department of Public Institutions a narrow, long strip of land which is less than half an acre, 30 feet by over 500 feet, for the purpose of putting in a full-width street into a new housing area. There was no objection to this bill in the Public Hearing. The City of Lincoln, the Department of Administrative Services, and the Governor's office had negotiated this before it came to public hearing. Therefore, I move for its advancement.

PRESIDENT: Is there any further discussion? The question is, shall LB 21 be advanced to E & R Initial. Record your vote. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 33 ayes, 0 nays on motion to advance.

PRESIDENT: LB 21 is advanced to E & R Initial. LB 537.

CLERK: LB 537. Read title. There are no amendments, either Committee or otherwise.

PRESIDENT: Senator Marvel.

SENATOR MARVEL: The first motion that I make is that LB 537 be advanced to E & R Initial. The second thing I want to say is that this is the deficiency bill. Each of you have received a sheet which lists specifically the items involved which include -- just a moment. They include the deficiency of the Vocational-Technical Schools. It includes the deficiency for Homestead Exemption. Those two items, themselves, run about 7.6 million dollars. There is \$3,000 involved for the Status for Women. There are two items involved for the Cash Funds of organizations are increased so they can expend a little more money, and that, basically, includes the general items. The most pressing problem here has to do with the Vocational-Technical deficiency that comes about as a result of a Supreme Court decision and the school that has the problem at the moment is the Metro-School in Omaha. So if there are no other questions, I renew the motion to advance the bill.

PRESIDENT: Is there any further discussion? Senator Rumery.

SENATOR RUMERY: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, would Senator Marvel yield to a question?

PRESIDENT: Senator Marvel.

SENATOR MARVEL: Yes sir.

SENATOR RUMERY: Does this, also, include the Community Colleges, besides the Voc-Technical Colleges?

SENATOR MARVEL: Yes, it includes the whole group. Yes sir.

SENATOR RUMERY: Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Are you ready for the question? The question is, shall LB 537 advance to E & R Initial. Senator Kelly.